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Serial No.: 09/527,529

For: LIQUID-CRYSTAL DISPLAY HAVING LIQUID-CRYSTAL LAYER ORIENTED TO

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Contents: Amendment Under 37 CFR §1.111, as originally filed on October 5, 2006, and as revised to correct the status of claim 10 to be "Currently Amended", per the Examiner's request in the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on January 4, 2007.

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 5, 2006, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2. New claims 13-20 are added. The basis for new claims 13 and 17 is found at line 3 of page 17 through line 20 of page 18. The basis for new claims 14 and 18 is found at lines 14-24 of page 2, lines 10-22 of page 3, and lines 17-18 of page 13. The basis for new claims 15 and 19 is found at line 27 on page 9. The basis for new claims 16 and 20 is found at line 25 on page 9.

Remarks begin on page 7.